## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In Re: Methyl Tertiary Butly Ether ("MTBE") **Products Liability Litigation** 

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This Document Relates To:

County of Suffolk, et al. v. Amerada Hess Corp., et al., Case No. 04-CV-5424

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## STIPULATION AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL UNDER FED. R. CIV. P. 41

The Plaintiffs and the settling defendants, Giant Industries, Inc., Western Refining, Inc., Western Refining Yorktown, Inc., formerly known as Giant Yorktown, Inc., Western Refining Company, L.P., and Western Refining Southwest, Inc., formerly known as Giant Industries Arizona, Inc. and formerly doing business as Giant Refining Company ("Settling Defendants"),

have advised the Court that they have resolved the matters between them and agreed to the entry In Re: Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether ("MTBE") Products Liability Litigation

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of this Stipulated Order of Dismissal of the claims against the Settling Defendants identified above, as indicated by the signatures of the respective counsel below. This Court finds that this Stipulated Order of Dismissal should be entered, with the findings included below.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED as follows:

1. This Court has jurisdiction over the Parties to this Stipulation and over the subject matter of this action. The Parties to this Stipulation have advised the Court of their agreement to settle this matter pursuant to a Settlement Agreement, a Release, and this Stipulated Order of Dismissal.

- 2. The parties to this Stipulation consent to the dismissal of this action as to Settling Defendants only, including all claims and counterclaims, with prejudice.
- 3. Each party shall bear its own costs and attorneys' fees.

Date:  $\frac{i/b/\partial^Q}{}$ 

SO ORDERED

Judge

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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